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The Honorable Katherine Polk Failla United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Roman Storm 23 Cr. 430 (KPF)

Dear Judge Failla:

The Government respectfully submits this letter regarding the defendant's motion to suppress. (Dkt. 37). During oral argument on the defendant's motion, the Court inquired whether there was a "gap that [could] be bridged." (See Transcript of July 12, 2024 Hearing ("Tr."), Dkt. 69, at 42). In the interests of efficiency and judicial economy, the parties have met and conferred and have agreed as follows:

The Government will proceed in its search of devices found in defendant's home. Defendant does not object to the search of such devices. (Def't Reply Br. at 11); (Tr. 28 ("If those devices are on the premises, they can search those devices.")).

The Government agrees that it will not, however, seize or transfer any cryptocurrency that is identified as a result of the Government's search of the defendant's premises and any devices found therein, without first obtaining a new warrant authorizing such seizure. Based on this agreement, the parties request that the Court deny the defendant's motion to suppress as moot (Dkt. 37). The Government has conferred with defense counsel, who joins in this request.

In reaching this agreement, neither party concedes any prior arguments or objections or waives any future arguments or objections.

Respectfully submitted,

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